RECEPTION GIVEN TO SENIOR CLASS

Commencement Festivities at Randolph-Macon College Now in Progress.

PROGRAM

COMPLEE

Baccalaureate Sermon To-Day by Dr. W. W. Moore, of Richmond.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch] ASHLAND, VA., June 5,-With the last examination for the session ended, Randolph-Macon to-night donned her choicest frock and put on her sweet est smile in celebration of the commencement exercises of the seventy-

Allering from the other content and the content of Cabell, the postmaster, is slated to succeed John G. Capers as commissioner of internal revenue. It is learned that nothing definite has been determine, as to this office and that there will be no hurry in settling the question. Commissioner Capers has been ill a number of weeks and his recovery is exceedingly slow. There will be no change in his office until he has fully recovered his health and has been given time to put the affairs of his office into shape to turn over to a successor. Before Mr. Capers was attacked and went to a hospital it was understood that the pital it was understood that the change in his office would take place about July 1 and that Mr. Capers would then enter upon the practice

ATLANTA, GA., June 5.—The marketing of the 1909 cotton and wheat crops will be considered here on June 24 in a meeting of State representatives and prominent business men, President Charles S. Barrett, of the Termers' Union, to-night issued a call for the meeting.

Woman of Reinement, Now York, June 5.—Mrs. Mary A. Garwood, widow of Hamilton C. Garwood, and wealthy, lived with her two daughters, Isabel and Frances A., in No 32 West Eighty-seventh Street for many years.

They were known to a few neighters.





Children's Knee Bloomer Pants, Monday, 55c

We're on Deck

With every requisite for going on the water, near the water,

"Below deck" prices, because summer has been in hiding so long. You'd better "sail into" these while they last.

> Blue Serge Suits.....\$12.50 to \$30. White Duck Trousers .. \$1.00 to \$2.50

spired by the appeals of Miss Garwood's sister, Frances, acting through John Quinn, curate of the Church of the Ascension, in Washington. It is certain that the Italian ambassador at Washington, Mayor des Planches, was ordered to cable to his government concerning the alleged nobleman, and that messages in diplomatic cipher are freely passing to the American embassies in Paris and elsewhere.

Woman of Refinement.

Woman of Refinement. NW YORK, June 5.—Mrs. Mary A. Garwood, widow of Hamilton C. Gar-

the blood; the cutile always healthy where the circulation is free from impurities. When the od is infected with acrid or unhealthy matter it cannot perform its natural work of neurishing the skin, regulating its temperature and preserving its normal softness, pliability and healthfulness. Instead it irritates and inflames the delicate fibres and tissues around the Instead it irritates and inflames the delicate fibres and tissues around the pores and glands and produces some of the many forms of skin disease. The itching and stinging so often accompanying skin affections are produced by the deposit from the blood of the acrid hum rs with which it is filled, into the sensitive membranous flesh lying just beneath the outer covering, and surrounding the countless nerves, poros and glands. This explains why scratching the outer skin affords no relief from the itching and burning. S. S. cures Skin Diseases of every character by purifying the blood. It goes lown into the circulation and removes the humors or acida which are causing the trouble, builds up the weak, acrid blood, and permanently cures ever, variety of skin affection. Local applications can only soothe; they never cure because they do not reach the blood. S. S. S. goes right into the circulation, reaches the trouble and cures it by removing the cause. Book on Skin Diseases and any medical advice free to all who write.

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[Special Cable to The Times-Dispatch.]

ROME. June 5.—The celebration of
the jubilee of the North American College will take place from June 8 to
16. Monsignor Falconio, apostolic delgate to the United States, the archbishops of New York, Boston and New
Orleans; the bishops of Brooklyn,
Savannah, Scranton, St. Joseph and Inquanapolis; the auxilitary bishop of
Baltimore, Monsignor Seaton; thular
archibishop of Heliopolis and Monsign-NW YORK, June 5.—Mrs. Mary A. Garwood, widow of Hamilton C. Garwood, and wealthy, lived with her two daughters, isabel and Frances A., in No 32 West Eighty-seventh Street for many years.

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Portraits Bring Large Sums.

PARIS, June 5.—Twelve pictures be-onging to the late Vicomte Chabert vere sold at auction to-day and ealized 448,000 francs. Six portraits y Largillierre accounted for 365,000

francs.

The highest price, 108,000 francs, was paid for a portrait of the actress Duclos. A portrait of Madame Parabero brought 82,000 francs, and one of Haroness Prangin, 62,000 francs. A or Haroness Frangin, \$2,000 francs. A companion portrait of Baron Frangin brought only 28,000 francs. A portrait of Count Berulle sold for 49,000 francs, and one of Marquis Montault for 36,000 francs. Four of Hubert Robert's landscapes brought 82,000 francs, and two of Anne Valleyers, 18,000 francs.

Decoration Day at Camp Chase.
COLUMBUS, OHIO, June 5.—Flowers and miniature Confederate flags decorated every Confederate grave at Camp Chase on Memoriay Day here. More than 2.200 are interred at Camp Chase.
The Buckeye Republican Gise Club furnished the music, and Colonel E. Polk Johnson, or Louisville, made the address.

At Imperial Press Congress Declares Situation in Europe Is Ominous, Even Appalling.

CONDITIONS DEPLORABLE

Every Englishman Must Be Prepared to Defend Empire, He Says.

LONDON, June 5.—The inaugural banquet of the Imperial Press Congross was held at the White City to-night, the hosts being about 500 English journalists. The feature of the occasion was one of the greatest speeches of his career, delivered by Lord Rosebery. In grace of diction, eloquence and grave impressiveness no recent utterance by any public man has surpassed it.

ments.

Mrs. Almeric Paget has returned from Cannes in better health. Miss Dorothy Whitney will stay with her part of the season. Later they will both go to Harry Payne Whitney's place, Oakley Court.

The Misses Drexel, Marjorle Gould and Frances Livingstone Sullivan will be presented at court this month.

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One entertainment promised this season by an American hostess for a debutante is an orchid ball. The guests will dress as nearly like these flowers as possible, and the rooms will be decorated with orchids only.

Investigate Plague Conditions.

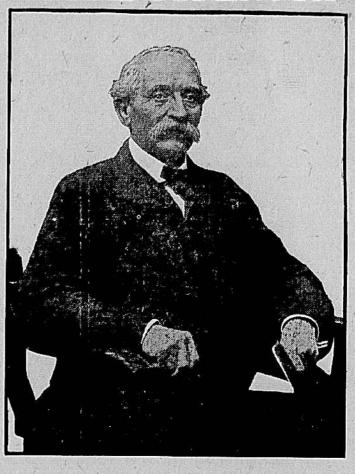
[Special Cable to The Times-Dispatch.]
SAN JUAN, June 5.—Assistant Surgean W. H. Kellogg, of the marine hospital service, arrived on Thursday and sailed on yesterday from Mayaguez on the steamship Saulia for La Guayra. He is accompanied by Dr. Grubbs, of the same service, who is stationed in Porto Rico, Both are experts on the bubonic plague. Dr. Kellogg will remain in La Guayra, attached to the American consulate, to investigate plague conditions in Venezuela.

WORKS CLEAR

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"There's a Reason" Read "The Road to Wellville,"

GREAT WAR AHEAD THE STRENGTH-GIVER THE STRENGTH-GIVER.



Mr. George H. Ward, the aged noted pedestrian of Middletown, Conn., who is vigorous both mentally and physically, says that Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey is the best in the market as a tonic and strength builder. Mr. Ward, although over 70 years old, every day during the summer walks from ten to twenty miles and is as fresh at the finish as he was at the start. He has often challenged any man in the state to walk 1,000 miles or more.

"I am over 70 and am still as vigorous and active as twenty years ago. I walk during the sum-mer from 10 to 30 miles a day without much fatigue. Recently I walked 31 miles and finished feeling as fresh as when I started. I have challenged, without success, any man in the State to walk a thousand miles or more.

"I have used for many years Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey to keep myself in condition, and I know that it is one of the best, if not the best, medicinal whiskey on the market for a tonic and bodybuilder. George H. Ward, Mid-dletown, Conn."

Mr. Ward's case is similar to that of many other aged men and women, who have been kept hale, hearty and vigorous by the con-stant use of Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey as a medicine. It is a food requiring no digestion, which has a stimulating and tonic effect upon

Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey

disease and by its building and healing properties assists in restoring tissues in a gradual, healthy, natural manner. It is a wonderful remedy in the treatment and cure of consumption, pneumonia, grippe, bronchitis, coughs, colds, malaria, low-fevers, stomach troubles and all wasting, weakened conditions, if taken

CAUTION—When you ask your druggist, grocer or dealer for Duffy's Pure Mait Whiskey be sure you get the genuine. It's the only absolutely pure medicinal mait whiskey and is sold in sealed bottles only; never in bulk. Price \$1.00. Look for the trade-mark, the "Old Chemist," on the label, and make sure the seal over the cork is unbroken. Write Medical Department, The Duffy Mait Whiskey Co., Rochester, N. Y., for a free illustrated medical booklet and free advice.

SWINBURNE NO ADMIRER OF AMERICAN POETRY SPENDING MONEY

Bestows Faint Praise Here and There, But for Most Part Has Only Unfavorable Criticism-Letters to Stedman Just Published.

tails of the Revolution sent by her representatives in London. The correspondence between Frederick the Great and Washington in the private archives of the Hohenzollerns will be accessible to Professor Learned.

EUROPE STANTIED

BY PERSIAN STORY

(Continued from Page One, Column 1)

within their power to hold Greece under entire restraint.

The State Within the provention of the property of the work ready was a pretty little pipe of his own, but surely it is very many to the fire, the passion of music, the quality of a solinger, not of a solitary philosopher or patriotic orator. Now, when Whitings, and when he sings at all he sings well.

"Mr. Longfellow has a pretty little pipe of his own, but surely it is very many to the strength of the control of the mean tage in the color of a single note of song. It is excellent and good speech, but if given us as song, its first and last duty is to sing. The "Ode" is most august meditation, and the other is a not one coessary, though it may be less noble than these, is the pulse, the fire, the passion of music, the quality of a singer, not of a solitary philosopher or patriotic orator. Now, when Whit-sings, and when he sings at all he sings well.

Could Find Pleaty of Excitement if the pipe of his own, but surely it is very thin and reedy. Again, whatever may be Mr. Emerson's merits, to talk of his poetry seems to me to be like talk-ring of the scholarship of a child who has not yet learned its letters. Even a Browning's verse always goes to a recognizable tune; I say not to a good one. But, in the name of all bagpiles, what is the tune of Emerson's Now, it is a poor thing to have nothing but melody and be unable to rise above it into harmony. But, One or other, the less, if not the greator, you must have. I magine a man, full of great thoughts and emotions, resolved to express them in a painting, who has absolutely no power upon form or color. Wain will be a better man for us than he."

SERIOUS TARIFF DISPUTE

Could Find Pleaty of Excitement if He Visited England Just Now.

[Special Cable to The Times-Dispatch,] I maddition to these thails be second-class consulates at Gonalves, Halti, and at Palmas, Grand Canary, I and he would find himself as unpopular among the suffragists and suffragists and suffragists and suffragists and suffragists are ceived by the part of the proposal part of the

in mentioned, which contains verses and passages well worth remembering. I hope no personal feeling or consideration will ever prevent or impair my recognition of any man's higher qualities. In Whittier, power, pathos, righteousness (to use a great old word that should not be left to the pulpiters) or noble emotion would be more enjoyable and admirable if he were not so deplorably ready to put up with the first word, good or bad, that comes to hand, and to run on long after he is out of breath. Mr. verses and passages well worth reoad, that comes to hand, and to run on long after he is out of breath. Mr. Lowell's verse, when out of the Bigelow costume, I never could bring myself to care for at all. You know my theory, that nothing which can as well be said in prose ought ever to be said in verse."

TO HAVE ELABORATE FUNERAL

Frenchman Had Made All Arrangements for Impossing Obseques.

[Special Cable to the Times-Dispatch.]
PARIS, June 5.—Pictures and works of art left by the late H. A. Chauchard to the nation are estimated to be worth \$5,000,000. There are twenty-flee Corots, twenty-seven Meissoniers and seven Millets, including the famous "Angelus." In consideration of this prospective benefaction Chauchard received the grand cross of the Legion of Honor, which entitles him to the attendance of a whole division of troops at his funeral. The funeral will be misst elaborate, costing about \$40,000. It will be carried out in eighteenth century style. Six thousand employes will be present M. Chauchard read will be arrived to the funeral will be misst elaborate, costing about \$40,000. It will be carried out in eighteenth century style. Six thousand employes will be present M. Chauchard was always charitable. He distributed immense sums every Christings, and repeatedly made huge gifts.

conditions under which they were hired by England to fight against the Americans. The documents show that Germany and Great Britain were under mutual obligations to give such aid to each other.

Much material was found dealing with Von Steuben, the Prussian soldier of fortune. One incident in his career, Professor Learned thinks, will make America laugh, but he does not divilge it. One feature of the find is proof that Germany for many years had been more interested in America than any cone had believed. She had minute details of the Revolution sent by her representatives in London. The corre-London Consuls Express Regret at Departure of American. [Special Cable to The Times-Dispatch.]
LONDON, June 5.—It has been the custom of the consuls-general, stationed in London, to meet weekly at a friendly luncheon and discuss informally topics of general interest to them. To-day's luncheon partock of the nature of a farewell function to Consul General Wynne, and the speeches uniformly sounded a note of extreme regret at his forthcoming departure, and were a tribute to the great personal affection universally left for him. He replied feelingly and expressed regret that he would be unable longer to enjoy the weekly remained. He thanked his hearers for their friendly assistance in the past, and concluded by saying:

"God bless and prosper you all."

PATTEN'S CHANCE

Could Find Pleasty of Excitement if He Visited Eugland Just Now.
[Special Cable to The Times-Dispatch.]
LONDON, June 5.—If Simon Nelson President the State Department from Cuba are construed by officials as indicating that in spite of the criticisms of extravagance against the Cuban government, the administration of the republic is preparing to make form Cuba are construed by officials as indicating that in spite of the criticisms of extravagance against the Cuban government, the administration of make from Cuba are construed by officials as indicating that in spite of the criticisms of extravagance against the Cuban government, the administration of make from Cuba are construed by officials as indicating that in spite of the criticisms of extravagance against the Cuban government, the administration of make from Cuba are construed by officials as indicating that in spite of the criticisms of extravagance against the Cuban government, the administration of the republic is preparing to make from Cuba are construed by officials as indicating that in spite of the criticisms of extravagance against the Cuban government, the administration of the preparing to make from Cuba are devined and government, the administration of the criticisms of extravagance

i, restored the protective tariff in her 1, restored the protective tariff in her Far Eastern provinces and established custom-houses. China refused to pay any duty on goods sent across the Russo-Chinese frontier, a distance of fifty kilometers into Russian territory, which includes the important trading stations of Khabarovsk, Blagovestchensk and Novokievsk. China

introduce goods of any origin until February 12, 1911. MIGHT LEAD TO WAR

govestchensk and Novokievsk. China claims that under the treaty she can

Navy League Votes Against Any Understanding With England.

[Special Cable to The Times-Dispatch.]

BERLIN, June 5.—The annual meeting of the Navy League was concluded to-day at Kiel. Prince Henry of Prussia congratulated the league on the re-establishment of harmony in Its management. The chief business of the day was in relation to a speech by Admiral Weber, advising strongly against any understanding with England, which wanted to possess a fleet only large enough to control all foreign trade. Such an understanding would be impossible and eventually would lead to wer, he said.

A resolution in accordance with Adress whom we have a way carried by a

Despite Criticisms of Extravagance President Directs Establishment of New Missions.

WASHINGTON, D. C., June 5 .- Re ports received at the State Department from Cuba are construed by officials as indicating that in spite of the criti-

Wait! ${\sf Wait!}$ MOONLIGHT EXCURSION,

Benefit Randolph Street Baptist Church

Thursday, June 10th Sentlemen, 50 cents. Ladies, 25 cents,

NOTICE!

The undersigned, having qualified as administrators of the estate of George L. Currie, deceased, all persons indebted to the said estate are hereby requested to settle their indebtedness. Those having claims against the estate are requested to present itemized, certified accounts to the undersigned at 905 East Main Street.

J. S. MOORE, ARTHUR E. CHAPMAN, Administrators of Estate of George L.

Aleetings.

Headquatrers Commandery of St. Andrew. No. 13, Knights Templars, Richmond, Va., June 5, 1909.
General Orders.

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SIR KNIGHTS: ATTEND A stated conclave of the commandery at your asylum in the Masonic Temple MONDAY EVE-tonic dress.

Members of Richmond Commandery, No. 2, and all transient Sir Knights are courteously invited to be present. By order of the Eminent Commander, GEORGE J. FREEDLEY.

Attest:

Attest: George C. Jefferson, Recorder.